(d) DDA has reported that only 820 plots of more than 100 sq. mts. size have been auctioned so far in the Rohini Residential Scheme. The waiting registrants are allotted plots measuring below 100 sq. mtrs. size through draw of lots. As per policy, the plots carved out of more than 100 sq. mtrs. only are put to auction on availability of plots without affecting the rights of registrants.

(e) No, Sir.

Poor maintenance of Government Colonies in New Delhi

5734. MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZMI: Will the Minister of URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that repairs are not being carried out in Government colonies in New Delhi- I areas;

(b) whether it is also a fact that seepage has taken place at a large scale in those colonies, parks are not properly maintained and insanitary conditions are prevailing;

(c) whether it is also a fact that roads in these colonies have not been properly maintained and boundary walls have not been adequately raised to prevent undesirable infiltrations;

(d) whether Government are aware that allocations are misused and bungled by the Engineers concerned in collusion with dishonest contractors and works are shown as "done" which they are acutally 'not done' or partly done; and

(e) the steps taken/being taken to remove those ills to streamline the system and vigilance in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI P.K. THUNGON): (a) to (e) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Encroachment of Public Land in Rohini

5735. MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZMI: Will the Minister of URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that many house owners in Pockets F-17 and F-18 of Sector-VIII, Rohini, a DDA run colony, have encroached upon the public land by constructing lawns which have totally covered/blocked the drains;

(b) whether due to this encroachment large pools of rain water are formed on the streets/roads causing lot of incovenience to all the residents;

(c) whether DDA had received any representations in the recent past from the residents of the area in this regard; and

(d) if so, what action has been taken/proposed to be taken by DDA to remove such encroachments so as to clear the roads/streets?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI P.K. THUNGON): (a) to (c) No, Sir.

(d) DDA, on its own had launched a drive for removal of unauthorised encroachments in the right of way of the roads in Sector 7 & 8 of Rohini. The internal drains which were not constructed earlier, have now been got constructed for satisfactory functioning of the drainage system.

Maintenance of Quarters on B.K.S. Marg

5736. MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZMI: Will the Minister of URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that maintenance of B.K.S. Marg quarters in New Delhi has been shifted from Havlock Square Service Centre to Mahadev Road, New Delhi;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;